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Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

1. Application - 58 pages, including 9 independent claims and 24 claims total.
2. Drawings - 16 sheets of formal drawings containing 38 figures.
3. Certified copy of Japanese Application No. 2000-170525, filed June 7, 2000.
4. Information Disclosure Statement and Information Disclosure Citation, PTO 1449 with 1 document attached.
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees due and any other fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 during the pendency of this application to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

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